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## **SOUTH AFRICA-ANGOLA: Military Developments**

South Africa has deployed 10 Mirage fighter aircraft to Ondangwa in northern Namibia. Anti-aircraft guns have been moved to a South African base in southern Angola. The South African mechanized battle group that left its bases in Namibia last week is now operating north of the South African salient in southern Angola.//

//The presence of the Mirages and the deployment of antiaircraft weapons to southern Angola indicate that the South African forces are prepared for the possibility of clashes with Angolan and Cuban forces.//